

Merry Christmas

WHILE many of us may not have been blessed with the material things of life during 1930, yet we can look back twelve months and see ourselves rich in that rarer and finer currency, Good Will. Christmas is a time of sentiment and cheer: we

take this opportunity to give tongue to our renewed sense of gratitude to our patrons: and to express our earnest hope that for all of us that Christmas day will mark a new era of prosperity and happiness! This is our sincere wish!

Miss Anna Cosby, of Richmond, will spend next week-end at the W. P. Gills home.

Mrs. Ida F. Marks and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Marks, of Bent Creek, will eat Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Langran.

Clyde Thomas left Monday for his home at Concord to spend the holidays.

Virginia's Bonnet Shop will be open during Christmas week. Many big bargains. Orders taken for flowers of all kinds. Come in and see us. Adv.

Wanted—Colored girl to cook and clean. Comfortable room furnished. Mrs. A. H. Puckett visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ferguson Sunday.

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To All Real Merriment

THE blessings of prosperity—may they attend our friends! This is our earnest and pious wish for the 1930 Yuletide!

Moses Motor Company

Christmas Cheer to You

Langran & Marks DRY CLEANING

To Our Many Friends

who have been so kind to us since we came here. We thank you and wish you a Merry Christmas and May the New Year bring you Joy and Happiness.

The White Front Store

"The Family's Friend"

R. A. Glenn, Mgr.

Charles F. James

Registered Pharmacist

THE REXALL STORE

Our Wish For Christmas!

MAY this day stand out as the day of Good Will and Joy. On Christmas Day—we wish a lifetime of Peace and Prosperity to our friends and our dear ones.

The Child's Allowance

Child specialists believe that it is in no way dependent on what is done in the home; but is given in order to train the child in the use of money. Help in simple tasks should be expected as a matter of course, and an allowance as some sort of reward for progress. Do not use the allowance as a means of discipline. Find other ways of teaching obedience or other necessary lessons. Very unusual tasks may be paid for, if the child would otherwise have a continual sense of drudgery connected with everything around the home. For example, dishwashing is something everyone should help with. Everyone makes dishes dirty. Window washing, mowing the lawn, cleaning the cellar and similar occasional tasks, often a little heavy for a child, may be rewarded by definite pay, just as one might pay an older child to do them. Where the ready cash in a family is too small to permit any pay, the spirit of teamwork can be so strongly developed that no work need seem like drudgery unfairly imposed on unwilling shoulders.

Mrs. V. F. Barham, of Norfolk, is spending some time as the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. T. Moses.

Five Forks

The heavy fall of snow has made it hard for those far from the railroad station.

Mrs. Jermon Covington is back home much improved. The people of Bethpage Church are preparing for a Christmas play.

Mrs. Pearl Hunt, of Richmond, Mrs. Ernest Recor and Mrs. E. E. Walker were in Norfolk last week.

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Pre-Inventory Sale

In order to reduce our large stock before taking inventory, December 31st, we are offering BIG DISCOUNTS on all cash sales from our stock amounting to \$1.00 or more, December 13th to 31st, inclusive.

25 YEARS AGO

IN THE APPOMATTOX & BUCKINGHAM TIMES

Dec. 20, 1905

The fruit trees at West were greatly damaged by the recent ice. Especially peach trees, some of them being broken so that they are worthless. It is said by our oldest people to be the most ice ever seen.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry Coleman died at their home to Miss Berta G. Davis at Rose Bower, last Thursday. They were both 69 years old.

Prospect

T. B. Hix was a pleased seller of tobacco on the Farmville market a week ago Monday, when he got an average price for his offerings of \$20. His best sold as high as \$40. Mr. Hix raises as good tobacco generally as the seasons will allow. He said he was not content with all the prices that have been paid on the Farmville market this season, but he was impressed with the idea that Monday the market was stronger.

A motor trip to the great electric plant at Brems Buff last Sunday found great improvements along the route from Spruce's Corner to Brems. Passing through Dillway one is impressed with the great amount of timber, railroad ties and pulpwood which require large acreage. New brick business houses also are greatly in evidence.

On the route through Gold Hill, Arvonia and New Canton many new buildings have been erected. Men and young men were on their way to their quar-

Spout Spring

The school here closed Friday for Christmas.

Mrs. A. C. Almond is sick at her home near here.

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There will be a Xmas Play at Spout Springs Baptist church Christmas Eve night at 7 o'clock.

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Pamplin

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